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Subject: Hope Iron and Metals Lead Consultation

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This is being sent on behalf of Gilberto Irizarry and Dana Stalcup.

This email responds to your request for a consultation with Headquarters per the December 22, 2016 Memorandum, "Updated Scientific Considerations for Lead in Soil Cleanups" (OLEM Directive 9200.2-167).

At the Hope Iron and Metal Salvage Site in Hope, AR, EPA collected 98 samples from four depth intervals (0-6 inch, 6- 18 inches, 18-24 inches and 24- 48 inches) across the 2 acre Site in order to gain a full picture of the extent of lead contamination. Your intent to remove soil to differing depths to address soils with greater than 400 ppm lead makes for a protective and cost-effective cleanup strategy. In addition, we understand that you will share the confirmation sampling results with the Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality and the Hempstead County Health Department. Therefore, OEM and OSRTI agree with the approach proposed by Region 6 for a time critical removal action (TCRA) at Hope Iron and Metal Salvage.

Thank you for coordinating with us prior to initiating the TCRA.

Please contact Janine Dinan or Brian Schlieger if you have any questions.

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